

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 132

AMENDMENT TO EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 130 EMERGENCY RELIEF FOR TROPICAL STORM/HURRICANE SANDY

WHEREAS, Executive Order No. 130 was issued to allow for the expedited movement of vehicles transporting equipment and supplies to the impacted areas within and outside of the State of North Carolina due to Hurricane Sandy; and

WHEREAS, the waiver on size and weight restrictions currently allowed under Executive Order No. 130 is not sufficient for certain vehicles that are transporting necessary equipment and supplies to the impacted areas; and

WHEREAS, without amending the maximum allowable size and weight limits set out in Executive Order No. 130 for certain vehicles transporting equipment and supplies, undue delay in relief efforts to the impacted areas on the eastern seaboard of the United States is likely to occur.

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority vested in me as Governor by the Constitution and the laws of the State of North Carolina, **IT IS ORDERED:**

Section 1.

Executive Order No. 130 is amended by adding the following Section 3A:

Section 3A:

Notwithstanding any other provision herein, vehicle combinations transporting a commodity that cannot be broken down or divided to meet the requirements outlined in this section are exempt from obtaining an oversize/overweight permit:

- a. When the gross weight does not exceed 112,000 pounds, and
- b. When the steer axle weight does not exceed 20,000 pounds, the single axle weight does not exceed 25,000 pounds, the tandem axle weight does not exceed 50,000 pounds, the tridem axle weight does not exceed 60,000 pounds and the 4 or more axle group weight does not exceed 68,000 pounds, and